"This Changes Everything: the Peacebuilding Power of Biblical Telling"

An Invitation!!!

Rev. Janet Stobie and the rest of the National Festival of Biblical Storytellers planning team, **invite** all of you, lay and clergy, to an exciting online opportunity.

Scripture that is spoken from the heart, has a powerful effect on us as individuals. This year, The National Festival of Biblical Storytellers, Canada, is coming to us all on Zoom.

Experience Biblical Storytelling first-hand at "This Changes Everything: the Peacebuilding Power of Biblical Telling". Enjoy story theatre bringing you the comedy in the Bible, the Bible's love stories and so much more. Participate in workshops for brand new and seasoned storytellers, biblical storytelling for children and family, storytelling in worship and so much more. And of course, worship, sing and pray with us.

The event runs Apr. 9 -11, starting with worship and theme speaker and a conversation on story telling with indigenous elder Ray Aldred on Friday evening. Saturday brings the workshops, theme speaker & more story theatre. Everything wraps up with a final worship on Sunday starting at 1:00 p.m. EDT. This final worship includes the famous "Epic Telling": a live tag-team telling of portions of the gospel of Mark by people from all over the world. Incredible! Here's the link to register now:

https://www.leadershiftpm.ca/register/this-changes-everything-04-2021

As a member of the planning team, I can tell you that every single person we have asked to give leadership in this event has said yes, even Tom Boomershine (founder of the NBSC movement) and Deborah Williams (Canadian actor, playwright), and top storytelling specialists in their fields in Canada, US, Australia and India.

And thanks to modern technology you can experience this wonderful event from the comfort of your home. Take advantage of the group rate by encouraging others to come too. Register now: <u>https://www.leadershiftpm.ca/register/this-changes-everything-04-2021</u>